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Applicant(s): Gerald N. Shields

Invention: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR DELIVERING AND FLUSHING INK AND OTHER LIQUIDS IN A PRINTING PRESS

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the rejection mailed February 17, 2006, Applicant submits the following amendment:

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